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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: SOC, PFOR, IN, US

SUBJECT: AMERICAN SIKH IN THE NAVY

REF: STATE 211026

THE INFORMATION WE HAVE ON THE SIKH ENLISTED MAN FOLLOWS:  
JOT SINGH MCDONALD, AGE TWENTY-FIVE, WAS A SAILOR LAST  
ASSIGNED TO THE SUBMARINE "TENDER DIXON". ACCORDING  
TO THIS ACCOUNT, JOT SINGH WAS DISCHARGED CIRCA JUNE 29  
FOR SUBSTANDARD BEHAVIOR - OVERSTAYING HIS LEAVE AT A  
RELIGIOUS RETREAT AND FAILING TO REMOVE HIS TURBAN WHEN  
ORDERED TO DO SO. WE ARE STILL INTERESTED IN ANY INFORMATION  
THE NAVY MAY HAVE.  
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